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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Schrage et al.

Examiner:

Clemente, Robert

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IMPROVED PROCESS AND MATERIALS FOR COILING Z-FILTER

MEDIA, AND/OR CLOSING FLUTES OF FILTER MEDIA; AND,

PRODUCTS

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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents PO. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on February 2, 2009.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 2-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the communication mailed September 9, 2009, the period of response being extended from December 9, 2009 to February 9, 2009.

Please charge Deposit Account 13-2725 in the amount of \$490.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for an large entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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